

VARIETY.

SPRING.

"Oh, how delightful to the soul of man,
How like a re-creating spirit comes,
Fanning his cheeks, the breath of Spring!"

Nature is beginning at length to throw off her
sable mantle, and ethereal Spring is appearing in
all its primitive loveliness—the God of the season
is breathing upon the earth and changing it from
gloom to glory. There is a lofty and peculiar
spirit belonging to the vernal developments of na-
ture, which man would do well to cultivate. As the
harvest in autumn depends upon the seed committed
to the earth in the Spring, so also the character of
the men depends upon the principles implanted in
the minds of youth in the spring-time of life. At
no season of the year do we receive more striking
lessons of the goodness of our Heavenly Father than
when the innumerable tribes of animated be-
ings, which for a long time have lain inert in their
hiding places, reemerge from their state of torpor,
and spread themselves forth to enjoy the vernal
rays of the sun. The eye that wanders over the
sales just whitening and reddening with flow-
ers, and surveys the budding woods from the skirt
of the mountain up to its summit close under the
soft, blue heaven, moving with the new-born foliage,
must dilate with the double emotions of sense
and spirit. This lofty and peculiar sentiment is
gratitude. It is heard in the notes of the feathered
songsters. It sounds full and melodious in the
roaring waterfall. It whispers in the waving drap-
ery of the forest. Wherever we look, whatever
we hear, sight and sound only minister to the sub-
lime passion of gratitude. Men, who feel not the
elevating, purifying influences of an earthly Spring,
can never hail with pleasing gratitude that far more
illustrious renovation, when the winter of death
shall break up, and a righteous, justified mortality
shall put on robes of immortality; when those once
bright and beautiful, who no longer gaze on the
rich and fragrant scenes through which we are per-
mitted to move, shall awake from a long but balmy
sleep to see more blessed prospects than ever we
have witnessed on earth, and to bask in one eternal
Spring of delight forever.

TO YOUNG MEN. There is no moral object so
beautiful to me as a conscientious young man—I
watch him as I do a star in the heavens, clouds
may be before him, but we know that his light is
behind them, and will beam again; the blaze of
others prosperity may outshine him, but we know
that though unseen he illuminates his own true
sphere. He resists temptation not without a struggle,
for that is not a virtue, but he does resist and
conquer; he hears the sarcasms of the profligate
and it stings him, for that is the trial of virtue, and
he heals the wound with his own pure touch. He
heeds not the watchword of fashion, if it leads to
sin; the atheist who says not only with his heart
but with his lips, "there is no God," controls him;
not for he sees the hand of a creating God and
reverences it, of a preserving God and rejoices in it.
Woman is sheltered by fond arms and guided by
loving counsel, old age is protected by experience,
and manhood by its strength; but the young man
stands amidst the temptations of the world like a
self-balanced tower. Happy he who seeks and
gains the prop and shelter of Christianity.

Onward, then, conscientious youth! raise thy
standard and nerve thyself for goodness. If God
has given thee intellectual power, awaken it in that
cause; never let it be said of thee, he helped to
raise the tide of sin by pouring his influence into
its channels. If thou art feeble in mental strength,
throw not that poor drop into a polluted current.
Awake, arise young man! assume the beautiful
garments of virtue! it is easy, fearfully easy to
sin, it is difficult to be pure and holy. Put on thy
strength then, let thy chivalry be aroused against
error, let truth be the lady of thy love—defend her.
Southern Rose.

THE WHITE INDIAN.

It is a fact, perhaps, not generally known, that
there does exist in the far west, at least two small
tribes or bands of white people. One of these
bands is called *Mawkeys*. They reside in Mexico
on the southwest side of the Rocky Mountains
and between three and five hundred miles from
Santa Fe, towards California; and in a valley which
makes a deep notch into the mountain, surrounded
by high and impassable ridges, and which can only
be entered by a narrow pass from the southwest.
They are represented by trappers and hunters of
the west, known to the writer of this, to be men of
veracity, to be innocent, inoffensive people, living
by agriculture, and raising numbers of horses and
mules, both of which are used by them for food.—
They cultivate corn, pumpkins and beans in large
quantities.

These people are frequently depredated upon by
their more warlike red neighbors; to which they
submit, without resorting to deadly weapons to
repel the aggressors.
Not far distant from the Mawkeys, and in the
same range of country, is another band of the same
description, called *Nalabooks*. A description of
either of these tribes will answer for both. They
have been described to the writer by two men, in
whose veracity the fullest confidence may be placed;
and they say the men are of the common stature,
with light flaxen hair, light blue eyes, and that their
skin is of the most delicate whiteness. One of my
informants who saw seven of these people at Santa
Fe in 1821, in describing the Mawkeys says, "they
are as much whiter than me, as I am whiter than
the darkest Indian in the Creek nation," and my
informant was of as good a complexion as white
men generally are.

A trapper on one occasion, in a wandering ex-
cursion, arrived at a village of the Mawkeys. Was
armed with a rifle, a pair of belt pistols, knife and
tomahawk; all of which were new to them, and ap-
peared to excite their wonder and surprise. After
conversing sometime by signs, he fired one of his
pistols; instantly the whole group around him fell
to the earth, in the utmost consternation; they en-
treated him not to hurt them, and showed him in
several ways that they thought him a supernatural
being. He saw a vast number of horses and mules
about the village.

Query. May not these people be a remnant of
those who inhabited this country prior to the pre-
sent race of Indians?—the traces of whose cities,
fortifications, cultivated fields and gardens, are still
to be seen throughout the whole western country.
Western paper.

Napoleon's hat, was recently sold in France at
public auction, and after a warm bidding, it was
knocked off at 1950 francs. [All its worth.]

PRACTICAL PRINTERS. It is singular how many
practical printers are at the head of the newspapers
and periodical presses at the present time, both in
Great Britain and this country; how many gentle-
men of the same profession have been conspicuous
in the halls of legislation, and the walks of science
and elegant literature. Notwithstanding the sneers
of would-be gentlemen, and their affected depre-
cation of the very individuals by whom they sub-
sist, we do not know a prouder or more gratifying
title than that of the "art preservative
of all arts," by which currency and stability are
given to the fleeting and otherwise transitory spec-
ulations of the philosopher and the moralist; by
which the bright conceptions of the moralist are
embodied in a durable form, and are conveyed
wherever a wave dances, a wind blows or a lan-
guage is spoken; which is the source of every
refined and elegant pleasure; to which all the mod-
ern cultivations and improvements in society owe
their origin; to which the liberal arts are indebted
for their expansion and influence, and every mem-
ber of which is as much superior to the superficial
and smattering acquirements of literature and man-
ners, as the man of sense is to the drivelling idiot, or the
polished inhabitant of New York, London and Paris,
to the half-naked savage of the Feejee islands.—
There is scarcely a country newspaper which is
not edited and printed by the same individual, and
the majority of the journals of the cities is similarly
circumstanced; which is a high eulogium on the
industry, talents, perseverance and enterprise of
these gentlemen, and at once proves the profession
to be well entitled to the designation of liberal art.
New York Mirror.

MYSTERIOUS.—INFORMATION WANTED. From the
Catskill Messenger, of April 21st, we learn that a
box containing the remains of a human being, was
recently found in the Shinglekill Creek, near the
village of Cairo. The body which was much de-
cayed, had been severed in the middle, and its head,
hands and feet cut off, as also the legs and arms.
It appears that on the 30th of Sept. last, Mr. Sam-
uel Everett, keeper of the toll-gate on the Squee-
hannah turnpike—two miles above Cairo—found
standing at the gate in the morning, when he arose,
on the Cairo side of the gate, a one horse wagon
and horse thereunto harnessed. No owner ap-
pearing, and after waiting some time, the horse ap-
peared much exhausted, and badly galled, Mr. Everett
unharnessed and put him up, supposing, to be sure,
that an owner would sooner or later appear and
claim his property. This not being the case, he
was advertised in this paper for several weeks, but
no owner has ever appeared from that day to this.
He is a servicable, though not an elegant horse—
dunish bay with white spots on the back and rump,
similar to many Arabian horses. The wagon is a
square box, painted black, with good spring seat,
which we believe Mr. Everett told us was cushioned
—but of this we are not positive, as it is some time
since. There was also in the bottom of the
wagon a mat. The harness was good—correspond-
ing with the style and condition of the wagon.
Who the owner of the horse and wagon is, and
why, and by whom it should have been left at that
place, are matters equally mysterious.

We trust the above will be generally copied, as
the circumstances related of the wagon, seem nec-
essarily to be connected with the discovery of the
remains, which probably, are those of some unfor-
tunate traveller who has been waylaid and mur-
dered.

We are ruined, not by what we really want, but
by what we think we do; therefore never go a-
board in search of your wants; if they be real
wants, they will come home in search of you; for
he that buys what he does not want, will soon want
what he cannot buy.

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(ONLY FIVE CENTS PER PAGE.)

FOR sale by the subscriber, at his Music Room, west
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SONGS, DUETS & GLEES; WALTZES, VARIATIONS,
MARCHES, RONDS, QUICK STEPS, DANCES,
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MUSIC CYCLOPEDIA, MUSIC DICTIONARIES,
VIOLIN STRINGS, VIOLIN BRIDGES, &c. &c.
M. HALL.
Rutland, April 21, 1836.

NOTICE.

THE copartnership heretofore existing under
the firm of DANIELS & BELL, termi-
nates this day by mutual consent. The business
will be continued as heretofore, by LUTHER
DANIELS, who is duly authorized to settle all
the business of the late firm.

LUTHER DANIELS,

DANIEL P. BELL.

Rutland, April 19, 1836.

NOTICE.

DR. H. GREEN intends leaving Rutland
in a few weeks; all accounts, due J. &
H. GREEN, must be settled before the 16th of
May, next. To enable those to do it, who pre-
fer settling with them, the subscribers will attend
to the settling of their accounts, at the Store of J.
D. BUTLER, on Friday and Saturday, the 13th
and 14th of May next.

J. & H. GREEN.

Rutland, April 25, 1836.

Second-hand Carriages.

FOR sale at very low prices, one double and one sin-
gle WAGON; one CHAIR and HARNESSES,
and one SULKY, if applied for soon. Inquire of DRA-
PER ROGERS, or the subscriber.

R. FIERPOINT.

Rutland, May 2, 1836.

AUCTION.

ANY person wishing to take a job on the road
that is to be built in Shrewsbury, leading
from Rutland to Windsor, can have an opportu-
nity by calling at my dwelling house in Shrews-
bury on the 12th, 20th and 30th days of May
inst. The jobs will be set off into fifty rods
each and sold to the lowest bidder—one third of
the money paid at the day of sale, and the re-
mainder on the 1st October next; good security
given. Sale commencing at nine o'clock in the
morning of each of said days.

ABNER ALDRICH, Com.

Shrewsbury, April 27, 1836.

VALUABLE FARM
FOR SALE.

THE subscriber offers for sale the Farm on
which he now lives and formerly the resi-
dence of the late Col. John Chipman, together
with the stock of Cattle, Sheep and Horses,—
and all the farming utensils. The Farm is sit-
uated about four miles south of the village of
Middlebury, and contains about FIVE HUN-
DRED ACRES of the choicest INTERVAL
and UPLAND. On the premises are a large
and convenient new two story DWELLING
HOUSE, built and finished in the best manner,
with Wood House, Carriage House, &c. Also,
THREE comfortable and convenient DWELLING
HOUSES—THIRTEEN BARNs and SHEDs—CORN
BARN, and all other necessary out buildings.—
The Farm is well watered by the Middlebury
River, which divides it nearly in the centre, and
by springs. There is on the farm an abundance
of excellent fruit, with plenty of wood for the
use of the farm, and about 80 acres heavily tim-
bered with Pine and Cedar, and a ledge of ex-
cellent building and lime-stone. Said Farm is
well fenced, in a high state of cultivation, and
from the fertility of the soil, the convenience of
its arrangement, and the beauty of the location,
is perhaps one of the most desirable situations in
the State.

ALSO: A Lot half a mile south of the above
containing thirty one and a half acres, about 25
acres of which is in pasturing, and the balance
covered with Beach and Maple timber.

ALSO: A FARM, in the east part of Middle-
bury, containing 177 acres of the best of grazing
land, with a log House and Barn, about 75 acres
cleared, fenced and well watered.

Terms of payment will be made accommodat-
ing and immediate possession given.

WILLIAM Y. RIPLEY.

Middlebury, April 22, 1836.

Tubs, Pails, & Patent Churns.

GERSHOM CHENEY, 2d,

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WOULD inform his customers and the pub-
lic that he has recently so arranged his
business in the line of

COOPERING,

that he will hereafter furnish at WHOLESALE and
RETAIL all kinds of WARES on short notice and
on the most reasonable terms.

The Merchants of the village having patrioti-
cally relinquished the vending of these articles,
will enable him to extend his business and ac-
commodate the public much better and at quite
as cheap a rate as heretofore.

THE PATENT CHURN, he can assure
the Dairy people, is an excellent article, and on
trial, he has no doubt they will find it superior
to any churn which has been introduced into this
part of the country.

Rutland, April 5, 1836.

PERSONS AFFLICTED WITH
CORN!

WILL find in the use of the ALBION CORN
PLASTER, one of the most efficacious remedies
known for that troublesome complaint, as hundreds of
thousands can, and are ready to testify, to its having
answered a better purpose than any thing that they had
ever used. This application never causes the least pain
although it softens the Corn and draws it out by the
roots. It gives immediate ease as soon as applied, and is
as thorough as it is gentle in its effects.

REMARKABLE CURES.

A gentleman near Greenfield writes:—It has cured
a Corn, which for years had caused me inconceivable
pain and trouble, (after trying various other remedies)
and having received such relief myself, I advise allow-
ever eliminate the complaint, to make trial of the Albion
Corn Plaster, and I have no doubt they will soon be as
ready to express their gratitude as I am.

An Agent, in writing for a further supply of the Albion
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Price 50 cents a box, with directions.

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DENTIFRICE!

Restores the teeth beautifully and permanently white,
embellishes the enamel, removes the tartar arising from
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their decay, and imparts a most desirable sweetness to
the breath.

An experienced druggist pronounces this Tooth Pow-
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or domestic. Price 50 cents.

DR. RELF'S PILLS FOR FEMALES.

For Obstruction, Debility, Hypochondria, Green Sick-
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female, whose sickly and pallid countenance becomes re-
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ed sole Agent for this vicinity.
W. FAY.
Rutland, September 22, 1835.

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EXHORTATIONS, by the Rev. Jedediah
Burhard: with an Appendix containing
Some account of proceedings during pro-
tracted Meetings, held under his direction
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By C. G. EASTMAN.

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period, it would be perhaps incurring their displeasure, and
the just censure of the public, in case of a failure, to exhib-
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American literature.

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are notified that payment must be made by the
1st of May, as he is expecting to leave town by
that time.

THOMAS PAIGE.

Rutland, March 20, 1836.

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PULMONARY BALSAM.

THE most valuable remedy discovered for Coughs,
Colds, Consumptions, Asthma, Spitting of blood,
Hooping cough, and pulmonary affections of every kind.
Recommended by many physicians and gentlemen of
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COUNTERFEITS! BEWARE OF IMPOSITION

Each genuine bottle is enclosed in a blue wrapper, on
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other can be genuine.
The great celebrity of the Genuine Vegetable Pul-
monary Balsam has been the cause of attempts to intro-
duce spurious articles, which by partially assuming
the name of the genuine are calculated to mislead and
deceive the public. Among these mixtures are the "Ameri-
can Pulmonary Balsam," "Vegetable Pulmonary Bal-
samic Syrup," and others. Purchasers should inquire
for the true article by its whole name, the

VEGETABLE PULMONARY BALSAM,
and see that it has the marks and the signature of the
genuine. Each bottle and seal is stamped Vegetable
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For sale in Rutland by DANIELS & BELL.

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There will be at all times a good assortment
of plain and Japan'd WARE, which Pedlars
who are wishing to buy, can have at the lowest
wholesale prices. Also, GOODS, such as Pedlars
generally want, at a small advance from cost.

N. B. Pedlars who are wishing to purchase at
the above named shop, will do well to call.
N. DICKERSON & CO.
Ludlow, Feb. 25, 1835.

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Work, well bound and good paper, will
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W. FAY.

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Quarto Edition.

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the commencement of their third Volume on the 30th of
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the matter presented in the folio New Yorker, the Quarto
will contain a page of popular Music, &c. &c. and be accom-
panied by a handsome Title Page and comprehensive Index
at the close of the Volume.

The general features of the New Yorker will remain es-
sentially as they have heretofore been. Its columns will con-
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eign and American, with choice extracts from new works of
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and gratitude his obligation to his regular contributors—and
among them are some whose names have shed lustre on the
cause of American literature—for the steadfast support hith-
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enabled to assure the public that it will not soon be with-
drawn. He takes pleasure in recalling the fact, since
the establishment of the New Yorker, no one other journal
has afforded specimens in equal extent and variety, of the
productions of all eminent American writers of whatever
section or class—a characteristic which he hopes it may still
preserve; while his selections from the best foreign works
have been exceeded—in quantity at least—by those of but
three or four among the myriad of cis-Atlantic periodicals.

II. National Politics. It has been the aim of the Editor
to present a full and fair exhibit of the aspects, movements
and struggles of parties in our country, including the meet-
ing of conventions, nomination of candidates for State & Na-
tional Offices, and all other significant manifestations of po-
litical feeling, with the general results of elections as fast
as ascertained, and the official canvass in each instance, as
soon as it shall have reached us. This course is believed to
be in many respects original with this journal; and it is con-
sidered that we have just cause of felicitation in the fact
that, pursued as it has been through two years of unremitted
political warfare, the accuracy and general accuracy of our
statements and returns have very rarely, if ever, been ques-
tioned. The Editor reserves to himself the right of remark-
ing, as circumstances may seem to require and justice to dic-
tate, on the less exciting political topics of the day, as on all
others, with calmness, deference and moderation; but he
will still strive—his trusts not less successfully than hith-
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